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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer who support broadband competition. We've used Sonic for years and have been so impressed with their service. They are far more responsive and oriented to the local community. It's critical companies like Sonic have access to the technology and infrastructure they need to continue to grow and provide broadband to our communities. Competition is key to keeping prices in line Please don't allow a few giant companies to throttle competition, raise prices and put rural people in danger of losing broadband. Support the Bridge 2 Broadband!

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